

**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2169**

**PATENT**

Attorney Docket No. 07781.0221-00  
SAP Reference No. 2002P00139 WOUS

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Thorsten PFERDEKAEMPER et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2169
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Application No.: 10/526,751	)	Examiner: Cheryl Maria SHECHTMAN
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Filed: November 14, 2005	)	Confirmation No.: 6920
	)	
For: ELECTRONIC DATA STRUCTURE	)	
FOR CONTROLLING ACCESS TO	)	
DATA OBJECTS USING LOCKS	)	

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed December 11, 2008, the period for response extending through March 11, 2009, Applicants propose to amend this application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment section of this paper.